

第 92篇 [人在福中] [Entering into a Fortune]

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寫作大意： 根據 幸福籤單上語句作解釋。

ASSIGNMENT for 11/13/2004:

You will be entering into a fortune.

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The assignment of this article is from the fortune cookie distributed by teacher Jane on 11/10/2004 in the class near Thanksgiving Day (11/25). I received this assignment with pleasure but feeling dubious so I consulted the Webster's Collegiate Dictionary and found out a number of the meanings of "fortune" as a noun to clarify as follows:

1. often cap : a hypothetical force of personified power that unpredictably determines events and issues favorably or unfavorably.

2. obs: ACCIDENT, INCIDENT,

3. a: prosperity attained partly through luck: SUCCESS b: LUCK c pl : the turns and courses of luck accompanying one's progress (as through life )

4: DESTINY, FATE ; also : a prediction of fortune

5. a: possession of material goods: WEALTH b: a store of material possessions c" a very large sum of money < won a ~playing the races>

A survey of the above five explanations, my consideration is that, since the word "fortune" I obtained in the subject is not capitalized, not in plural noun shape, being in future progressive tense, I deem only the meaning of the items or 3a and 4 are applicable to my case, which is narrowed to a prediction of fortune but uncertain as prosperity attained partly through luck, and destiny, I consider the above a gospel given by the GOD and receive it with thanks and expect the prosperity means peace of mind and good health of both my wife and myself.